

Cyrus C. Montgomery, No. 8-A, J. Blair, Resident...  
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ASHVILLE CHURCH DIRECTORY  
Methodist Episcopal Church—Church St. 11  
Rev. W. W. Day, Morning services 11 a. m.;  
evening services 8 p. m.; prayer meeting Wed-  
nesday evening 8 p. m.; Sabbath school 9  
a. m.  
Presbyterian Church—Church St.  
Rev. J. P. Gammon—Services 11 a. m.; 3 p. m.;  
prayer meeting 8 p. m. Wednesday; Sabbath  
school 9 a. m.  
Episcopal Church, Trinity—corner Church and  
Wilson—Services 11 a. m.; 3 p. m.; 5 p. m.;  
Sabbath school 9 a. m.  
Baptist Church—corner Woodfin and Spruce—  
Rev. J. L. Carroll—Services 11 a. m.; 8 p. m.;  
prayer meeting 8 p. m. Wednesday; Sabbath  
school 9 a. m.  
Roman Catholic Church—  
Rev. Mr. McGinnis—Services first Sunday  
in each month at 11 a. m.  
M. E. Church—corner Patton Avenue and  
Bailey St.  
(No pastor at present in charge.)  
Doubleday Mission Church.  
Rev. J. K. Barnett, Pastor. Sabbath school, J. J.  
Hill, Sup't.  
Y. M. C. A.  
Prayer Meeting every day from 12 to 12.30  
o'clock. All invited to attend the above services.  
Gospel Services every Sabbath afternoon, at  
6 o'clock, on Battery Porter.  
Gospel Services at Smith's Bridge—old De-  
pot—over O. M. Roberts' store, at 5 o'clock.  
Sabbath School at 4.  
All are invited to attend the above services.

COLORED CHURCHES—  
A. M. E. Church ( Zion )—College St.  
Rev. Mr. Sherman—Services 11 a. m.; 3 p. m.;  
and half-past 7 p. m.; Sabbath school 9  
a. m.  
Baptist.  
Rev. Mr. Lantry—Services 11 a. m.; 8 p. m.;  
and half-past 7 p. m.; Sabbath school 9 a. m.;  
Episcopal.  
Rev. Mr. Perry—Services 11 a. m.; Sabbath  
school 9 p. m.  
Services held in Court House on Sunday 11  
a. m.; half-past 7 p. m.; by Rev. Mr. Metts, of  
A. M. E. Church.

How to Reclaim Old Fields.  
Plant them in locust. It matters  
not how badly washed the fields may  
be, they will grow locust trees, which  
in a few days will be worth for fence  
purposes, many times the value  
of the land.  
Mr. Vance, of Giles county, a few  
years ago planted a worn-out hill-  
side with locust, and he expressed  
the opinion that it yielded a greater  
profit than any part of his farm. Mr.  
P. Alexander, of New Liberty, Ky.,  
has ten acres planted to locust, now  
ten years old. Not only is the tim-  
ber worth twice as much as the land  
but the grazing capacity of the land  
has been immensely improved. He  
advises, in the Home and Farm,  
those who have fields washed into  
immense gulches, which are year  
by year growing worse, to plant  
black locust. Level down, he says  
the bad places so the team can cross.  
Plow and plant in corn early. If  
planted one way, set trees in every  
fifth or sixth row, fifteen feet apart.  
The cultivation is not so much for  
the crop as for the benefit of the  
young trees. Being planted in the  
rows with the corn insures their pro-  
tection from the team and in some  
degree from the singletree. One  
difficulty to be found is, the trees  
should be put out as a general  
thing, before corn will do well.  
Avoid this by taking up the trees  
and heeling them in near the place  
where wanted. This will check their  
growth for a while. Exercise care  
in taking up and handling. Cut  
back the tops as you would fruit  
trees, and, for a few years, protect  
from stock.

Maine paid \$53,950 of internal  
revenue last year. There are 1,014  
retail liquor dealers in the State.  
Maine has an iron-clad prohibition  
law also.

The Philadelphia Press, after com-  
municating with the State, seems to  
think there is lack of democratic  
leaders. Well, such as we had  
seemed to load the Press's  
party very clever by the nose last  
year.

Just before the Serbian army took  
the field, 1,000,000 cigarettes were  
distributed among the men. Then  
the army went out and got the but-  
tons thrust off it.

Ex-Prest Samuel J. Tilden has  
written a long and very strong let-  
ter, to Mr. Speaker Carlisle urging  
full preparation for proper con-  
sideration before revenue taxation is cut  
down too heavily.

School Books, Pictorial Books,  
Fancy Books, Novels and Romances,  
Prices Low.  
J. M. Morgan & Co.

Travelers Should Know That  
A. A. BANKS  
has taken charge of the  
VIRGINIA HOUSE,  
HENDERSONVILLE, N. C.

ALL WHO CALL WILL BE ASSURED OF  
Nice, Clean Rooms and Beds and Prompt  
attention and the fact that Mrs. Banks has con-  
trol of the culinary department is a guarantee of  
good fare. We pretend to no claim for style, but  
will guarantee satisfaction.  
A. A. BANKS, Manager.  
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WESTERN HOTEL FOR RENT.  
The Western Hotel, situated on the  
public square, is offered for rent. It al-  
ways enjoyed a large patronage. An  
early application can get a bargain.  
Apply to Thos. D. Johnston.  
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### THE PANGS OF LOVERLY PARTING.

Their Grief as It Seems and as It Really  
Is—Giving Birthdays Moments.  
He had said good-bye. The tears had  
fallen like rain, the kisses like thunder  
and lightning. Her hair looked as if she  
had been through a prize fight, and he  
had squeezed the corners of his eyes  
through three fingers. But she loved him  
all the same. As he was borne off in the  
flying cars, he took out a little package,  
on which was written in a trembling  
hand:  
"For Alfred."  
"Don't open it till you are on the train."  
He broke the seal and kissed passion-  
ately the package. The note read:  
My Own, OWN DREAMS—When you are  
reading this you will be far away from  
me. I shall be weeping in my chamber,  
with your ring firmly pressed to my lips;  
for, darling, I will sleep with it there. Oh,  
my beloved, how hard it is to part—how  
hard. But it is for the best, and I must  
bear it. Think of me, my own darling,  
and when you use this which I have made  
with my own hands for him I love so  
dearly, it will be part of me you touch  
and hold. It is a little thing, but oh so  
full of my heart and my love. Keep it,  
darling, for my sake.  
He kissed the package frantically and  
opened it. It was a powder puff. She  
had given him the wrong box.  
What nonsense people talk. The fellow  
goes off. She says: "When you are far  
away I will be weeping in my chamber."  
He fancies to himself how she will scold  
upstairs and lock herself in her room,  
throw herself on the bed and sob and sob,  
as if her heart would break. He hears  
moans, he hears her call upon him, and he  
pictures to himself what a scene it will be  
if he suddenly thrust open the door,  
called "Eliza!" and felt her rush into his  
arms. It is a good thing that he doesn't go  
there. He would find her standing calmly  
before the glass, fixing her hair and  
putting cold cream on her lips. But it  
isn't all on one side.  
"I will not cease to think of you. I am  
walking on air. I know no earthly, no  
worldly. Oh, my angel! I cannot speak to  
anyone. I dare not meet any one. My  
heart is so full."  
And he steps in the first saloon and has a  
drink, goes home, packs his trunk, jams  
her picture into his valise, and stops in at  
the club to have a farewell bottle of  
champagne with the boys. He's full when  
he goes off—but it isn't the same kind of full.

Then her birthday comes off. He thinks  
of it a week or two ahead and buys some-  
thing for her. He ties a knot in his hand-  
kerchief and leaves the present where he  
can't forget it, because he knows he may.  
He sends it on two or three days early to  
get rid of it, as he says, to get there on  
time. Then he forgets her birthday, when  
it comes, and sits down and writes to her  
that he thought of her so much, but has  
not had time to write before. And she,  
well, she always remembers her birthday;  
because she is afraid if she did not he  
would not give her anything at Christ-  
mas. —San Francisco Chronicle.

A Possible Danger in Cow's Milk.  
Koch's discovery of the active living  
agent that produces tuberculosis (con-  
sumption) in man, has verified the exis-  
tence in beef and milk of a long-suspected  
danger. It has been experimentally  
proved that the same disease exists in cat-  
tle and that it can be conveyed from them  
to some of the lower animals. It is well  
known that a consumptive nurse can  
transmit tuberculosis to her nursing, and  
we can not avoid the inference that a  
tuberculous cow can give the same dis-  
ease to whoever partakes of it in an un-  
boiled condition. The cows of all dairies  
where they are closely shut up are liable  
to tuberculosis. All city dairies are of  
this description. The sanitary precaution of boiling  
all milk, the source of which is unknown, be-  
fore it is used for food is too strongly  
evident to require in the time of the tim-  
support. A close official inspection of  
dairies is not sufficient. Inspectors are  
careless, easily deceived, and the profits  
of the milkman are large enough to  
justify him in using strong inducements  
to secure a favorable report. Heat kills  
the microbe of tuberculosis as surely as it  
does all other microscopic disease germs,  
and should be thoroughly applied, espe-  
cially to all food designed for infants and  
debilitated persons. —St. Louis Globe-  
Democrat.

Persistence of an Ancient Type.  
Gen. Logan was born in Jackson  
county, Illinois, in 1836, and both his  
parents were pure Irish. His father was an  
Irish physician. There are many Irish-  
men who are of the same swarthy,  
straight, black-haired, high-cheek-boned,  
Indian type of men as is Logan. There  
are several of this type of Irishmen now  
residents of Troy. Ex-Mayor Carroll is  
one of these Indian-looking Irishmen.  
The ancestors of the "Indian" Irishmen,  
as they are sometimes called, were, it is  
ascertained, Phoenicians who visited Ire-  
land and Ireland before the Roman in-  
vasion, and there are many of their de-  
scendants now living in both countries.  
The Phoenician type resembles itself from  
time to time in their descendants; it be-  
ing only another evidence of the truth of  
the proverb that "Blood will tell." —Troy  
Telegram.

A Remedy for Damp Cellars.  
Houses built on some soils are pene-  
trated by damp vapors and noxious gases  
from the earth below. To prevent this,  
what is necessary is a layer of concrete,  
about six inches thick, over the entire  
bottom of the cellar. This concrete should  
be made of one part cement and six  
parts of broken brick and stone, and  
spread over the cellar bottom with care.  
Sand should not be used. When the ce-  
ment and sand coating of asphalt or  
tar and sand spread over it will make it  
quite proof against ground air. —Herald  
of Health.

Money Received in Answer to Prayer.  
Mr. George Muller, the well-known head  
of the orphan homes at Bristol, announces  
that during the last year he has received  
\$41,538 in answer to prayer, not a single  
donation having been solicited. —Inter  
Ocean.

Gen. Butler's Readers for His Employees.  
Gen. Butler has secured the services of  
several good readers, who are placed on  
little platforms in different parts of his  
mills and read to the operatives as they  
work.

The Virtues of a Ventilated Hat.  
Dio Lewis says that for thirty years he  
has worn an ordinary silk hat with nearly  
300 holes through the top. He says the  
ventilation is perfect and his hair is per-  
fect.

Cotton seed pressed into blocks has just  
been put upon the market as "killing  
wood."

One-fourth of the Indians in this  
country die of consumption.

BEEF MARKET  
AND  
Grain and Provision Store.

MURRAY & HARKINS  
DEALERS IN  
Grain, Feed and Groceries,  
SOUTH MAIN STREET.  
We also have in connection a first-class  
Meat Market, and the well-known George  
W. Page Cuts. Nothing but good  
meats, delivered anywhere in the city. As  
we ask is vital. —at 10-12-13

### SCROFULA CURED.

Dr. L. C. Smith, Atlanta, says: "B. B. B. cured  
me of Scrofula for over ten years. Physi-  
cians exhausted their skill, and numerous  
patent medicines were used without benefit.  
Her condition grew worse—her appetite  
failed, attended with debility, emaciation,  
falling out of the hair and a frightful break-  
ing out of the skin. Her bones became very much  
dissolved and painful (some calling it white  
swelling), with sleepless nights and general  
feeling of horror. Some friends said that B. B.  
B. would cure her. I procured it and placed  
her upon its use, and the entire ailment of  
all who knew her the recovery was rapid and  
complete. It acted as a powerful tonic, gave  
her a splendid appetite and acted upon the  
kidneys. A few bottles did the work. The  
medicine cost but little. I advise my friends to  
use it as a blood purifier. Yours truly,  
B. M. LAWSON.

### ANOTHER CASE.

East Point, Ga., April 5, 1884.  
My wife has been afflicted with a terrible  
form of Scrofula for over ten years. Physi-  
cians exhausted their skill, and numerous  
patent medicines were used without benefit.  
Her condition grew worse—her appetite  
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### BLOOD POISON.

Mr. A. F. W., of Hampton, Ga., has recently  
emerged from one of the most remarkable  
cases of Blood Poison on record. His body  
and limbs had no less than four hundred small  
abscesses. His bones were tormented, his pain-  
ful appetite failed—his kidneys presented  
frightful symptoms—and all doctors and 100  
bottles of the most popular Blood Purifier re-  
mained failed to give him any relief. He secured  
B. B. B., the concentrated quick cure, and five  
bottles relieved his ulcers, relieved his pain,  
cured his kidneys, restored his appetite, and  
made him a healthy and happy man. Any one  
secure his full name and correspond with him.

### FALL AND WINTER OZAPIC

James P. Sawyer  
Has just received the largest and  
best selected stock of  
CLOTHING  
Consisting of Prince Alberts, Nor-  
folk Jackets, Chesterfield, Cur-  
rawny and Sack Suits, for  
Men, Youths and Boys,  
ever brought to this market. His  
stock of  
OVERCOATS  
is larger and cheaper than ever be-  
fore.  
DRESS GOODS  
from 10c a yard up.  
BOOTS, SHOES & HATS  
by the do. and all sorts and sizes  
at prices as low as the lowest.  
Sugar, Salt and Domestic  
in any quantity you want.  
Coffee, Bacon and Lard  
lower than ever before.  
Carpets, Blankets and Rugs  
A full assortment "all wool and a  
yard wide."  
Wholesale and Retail.  
Kerosene and White Oil by the car  
load.  
Sawyer's  
is the place to buy "And Don't  
You Forget It."  
Public Square, Asheville, No. Ca.  
Western N. Carolina R. R.  
WINTER N. C. RAILROAD CO.  
General Passenger Office,  
Savannah, N. C., Sept. 26, 1883.  
On and after Sept. 26, 1883, the following schedule  
will be operated by this company:  
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### Will have in a few days for the Whole- sale trade, a large lot of

CRACKERS, BRANDY FRUITS,  
FIRE-WORKS, CANDIES OF  
ALL KINDS, CHEESE,  
PIGS' FEET, PICKLES, CON-  
FEE, TOYS, XMAS CARDS, &c.  
Notice for Announcement.  
J. J. DESMOND, South Main St.

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